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May 5, 2000

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Year-End Report (7/1/99-12/31/99)

Dear Mr. Keen,

I am writing in response to your letter dated April 18, 2000 in regard to the above-mentioned reporting period. The resolution of the three issues you addressed are as follows:

- The acceptance of the contribution from The Coalition for Natural Health Political Action Committee in excess of the legal limit was an error that has been corrected... I have enclosed a copy of the refund check.
- The reporting of the contribution from Thomas B. Bender on 10/29/99 as \$1,000 Primary was in error. Attached you will find a copy of the redesignation of \$500 that should have been listed as General Election. This will also be reflected on our semi-annual report due July 31, 2000.
- 3. The contribution that you are questioning from Sonal PAC dated January 15, 1997 that is listed as "General" was received at the time of our debt retirement. The General election cycle that it refers to is the General Election for 1996. Sonal PAC had not contributed to that election cycle. The contribution received on December 17, 1999 is related to the General 2002 election cycle. Therefore, the contribution received is not in excess of the legal limit.

Please do not hesitate to call if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

William A. Newman, Jr.

Treasurer